



Anita Gay Sullivan Gibson

March 6, 1927 - March 30, 2014

Anita Gay Sullivan Gibson entered the Gates of Heaven to join her husband and be, for all Eternity, in the presence of her Lord and Savior on March 30, 2014, following a lengthy illness. She is pre-deceased by her husband, Jimmie D. Gibson, and is survived by a Son, D. Gayril Gibson. Mrs. Gibson was born in Mize, Mississippi on March 6, 1927 to Virgil Thomas and Pearlie Sullivan. Upon Graduation from the Mize High School she attended the University of Southern Mississippi and majored in Music Performance. After Graduation she declined an offer of employment as a soloist with the Metropolitan Opera in New York City to marry her true love, Jimmie D. Gibson, and together they worked to enhance the lives of thousands of young men through the Boy Scouts of America organization. Mrs. Gibson was a featured soloist with the University of Southern Mississippi Choral Department, an Instructor associated with the Sherwood Conservatory of Music in Chicago, Illinois, served in the Music Departments of numerous Churches, and in later life taught hundreds of Piano and Vocal Performance students who now make a daily positive impact upon society through the medium of Fine Arts. After retirement, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson established "JG Ranch" in Smith County, Mississippi which continues to be in operation and is now owned by their Son. Additionally, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson served on the Boards of and were major donors to numerous non-profit organizations. Following a family Graveside Service burial will be at the Fellowship Cemetery near Taylorsville, Mississippi. Memorial Donations may be made to the Rowe's Orphanage for Cats and

Kittens, 2191 Bush Street, Pensacola, Florida, 32534.

Tribute Wall

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“ I had no idea about her passing either until just a few days ago Mrs Anita was One of a Kind!!! Besides being SUPERTALENTED, she was a God fearing woman who believed in me..... She wouldn't let me give up ~~ and for that I'm grateful... So sorry to hear of her passing but she is happy now, playing a golden piano in Heaven..... RIP Lady

Melissa Knight Leggett - December 31, 2014 at 12:24 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss. You will be in my prayers

Lonnie Hicks - March 31, 2014 at 01:05 PM